EIGHTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY 2010 REGULAR SESSION DAILY HOUSE CLIP SHEET

MARCH 2, 2010

HOUSE FILE 2193

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      Amend House File 2193 as follows:
      1. By striking everything after the enacting clause
 3 and inserting:
      <Section 1. Section 85.36, subsection 9, paragraph
 5 a, Code 2009, is amended to read as follows:
      a. In computing the compensation to be allowed
 7 a volunteer fire fighter, emergency medical care
 8 provider, reserve peace officer, volunteer ambulance
 9 driver, <del>volunteer emergency rescue technician as</del>
10 defined in section 147A.1, or emergency medical
11 technician trainee, the earnings as a fire fighter,
12 emergency medical care provider, reserve peace officer,
13 or volunteer ambulance driver, volunteer emergency
14 rescue technician, or emergency medical technician
15 trainee shall be disregarded and the volunteer fire
16 fighter, emergency medical care provider, reserve peace
17 officer, or volunteer ambulance driver, volunteer
18 emergency rescue technician, or emergency medical
19 technician trainee shall be paid an amount equal
20 to the compensation the volunteer fire fighter,
21 emergency medical care provider, reserve peace officer,
22 or volunteer ambulance driver, volunteer emergency
23 <del>rescue technician, or emergency medical technician</del>
24 <del>trainee</del> would be paid if injured in the normal
25 course of the volunteer fire fighter's, emergency
26 medical care provider's, reserve peace officer's,
27 or volunteer ambulance driver's, volunteer emergency
28 <del>rescue technician's, or emergency medical technician</del>
29 trainee's regular employment or an amount equal to one 30 hundred and forty percent of the statewide average
31 weekly wage, whichever is greater.
      Sec. 2. Section 85.61, subsection 2, paragraph a,
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33 Code 2009, is amended to read as follows:
      a. A person, firm, association, or corporation,
35 state, county, municipal corporation, school
36 corporation, area education agency, township as
37 an employer of volunteer fire fighters, volunteer
38 emergency rescue technicians, and emergency medical
39 care providers only, benefited fire district, and the
40 legal representatives of a deceased employer.
      Sec. 3. Section 85.61, subsection 7, paragraph b,
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42 Code 2009, is amended to read as follows:
      b. Personal injuries sustained by <del>volunteer</del>
44 emergency rescue technicians or emergency medical care
45 providers as defined in section 147A.1 arise in the
46 course of employment if the injuries are sustained at
47 any time from the time the volunteer emergency rescue
48 technicians or emergency medical care providers are
49 summoned to duty until the time those duties have been
50 fully discharged.
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- 1 Sec. 4. Section 85.61, subsection 11, paragraph 2 a, subparagraph (2), Code 2009, is amended to read as 3 follows:
- 4 (2) An emergency medical care provider as defined
- 5 in section 147A.1, a volunteer emergency rescue
- 6 technician as defined in section 147A.1, or a volunteer
- 7 ambulance driver, or an emergency medical technician
- 8 trainee, only if an agreement is reached between
- 9 such worker or employee and the employer for whom
- 10 the volunteer services are provided that workers'
- 11 compensation coverage under this chapter and chapters
- 12 85A and 85B is to be provided by the employer. An
- 13 emergency medical care provider or volunteer emergency
- 14 rescue technician who is a worker or employee under
- 15 this subparagraph is not a casual employee. "Volunteer
- 16 ambulance driver" means a person performing services
- 17 as a volunteer ambulance driver at the request
- 18 of the person in charge of a fire department or
- 19 ambulance service of a municipality. "Emergency
- 20 medical technician trainee" means a person enrolled
- 21 in and training for emergency medical technician
- 22 certification.
- Sec. 5. Section 100B.31, subsection 3, paragraph b,
- 24 Code Supplement 2009, is amended to read as follows: 25 b. A person performing the functions of an
- 26 emergency medical care provider or emergency rescue
- 27 technician as defined in section 147A.1 who was not
- 28 paid full-time by the entity for which such services
- 29 were being performed at the time the incident giving
- 30 rise to the death occurred.
- Sec. 6. Section 147A.1, subsection 4, Code
- 32 Supplement 2009, is amended to read as follows:
- 33 4. "Emergency medical care provider" means
- 34 an individual trained to provide emergency and
- 35 nonemergency medical care at the first responder,
- 36 EMT basic, EMT intermediate, EMT paramedic
- 37 level, emergency medical responder, emergency medical
- 38 technician, advanced emergency medical technician,
- 39 paramedic, or other certification levels adopted
- 40 by rule by the department, who has been issued a
- 41 certificate by the department.
- 42 Sec. 7. Section 147A.1, subsections 6, 8, and
- 43 9, Code Supplement 2009, are amended by striking the 44 subsections.
- 44 Subsections.
- Sec. 8. Section 147A.1, Code Supplement 2009, is
- 46 amended by adding the following new subsections:
- 47 NEW SUBSECTION. 11. "Service program" or
- 48 "service" means any medical care ambulance service or
- 49 nontransport service that has received authorization
- 50 from the department under section 147A.5.

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- H-8288 NEW SUBSECTION. 12. "Training program" means an 2 Iowa college approved by the north central association 3 of colleges and schools or an Iowa hospital authorized 4 by the department to conduct emergency medical care 5 services training. Sec. 9. Section 147A.2, Code 2009, is amended to 7 read as follows: 147A.2 Council established -- terms of office. 1. An EMS advisory council shall be appointed 10 by the director. Membership of the council shall 11 be comprised of individuals nominated from, but 12 not limited to, the following state or national 13 organizations: Iowa osteopathic medical association, 14 Iowa medical society, American college of emergency 15 physicians, Iowa physician assistant society, Iowa 16 academy of family physicians, university of Iowa 17 hospitals and clinics, American academy of emergency 18 medicine, American academy of pediatrics, Iowa 19 EMS association, Iowa firemen's association, Iowa 20 professional firefighters, EMS education programs
- 21 committee, EMS regional council, Iowa nurses
- 22 association, Iowa hospital association, and the Iowa
- 23 state association of counties. The council shall also
- 24 include a member-at-large who is an emergency medical 25 care provider.
- The EMS advisory council shall advise the 27 director and develop policy recommendations concerning 28 the regulation, administration, and coordination of 29 emergency medical services in the state.
- Sec. 10. Section 147A.4, Code Supplement 2009, is 31 amended to read as follows:
- 147A.4 Rulemaking authority. 32
- The department shall adopt rules required 1. a. 34 or authorized by this subchapter pertaining to the
- 35 operation of ambulance, rescue, and first response
- 36 services service programs which have received
- 37 authorization under section 147A.5 to utilize the
- 38 services of certified emergency medical care providers.
- 39 These rules shall include but need not be limited
- 40 to requirements concerning physician supervision,
- 41 necessary equipment and staffing, and reporting by
- 42 ambulance, rescue, and first response services service
- 43 programs which have received the authorization pursuant
- 44 to section 147A.5.
- b. The director, pursuant to rule, may grant 45 46 exceptions and variances from the requirements of
- 47 rules adopted under this subchapter for any ambulance,
- 48 rescue, or first response service program. Exceptions
- 49 or variations shall be reasonably related to undue
- 50 hardships which existing services experience in

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- 1 complying with this subchapter or the rules adopted 2 pursuant to this subchapter. However, no exception or 3 variance may be granted unless the service adopted a 4 plan approved by the department prior to July 1, 1996, 5 to achieve compliance during a period not to exceed 6 seven years with this subchapter and rules adopted 7 pursuant to this subchapter. Services requesting 8 exceptions and variances shall be subject to other 9 applicable rules adopted pursuant to this subchapter. 10 2. The department shall adopt rules required 11 or authorized by this subchapter pertaining to the 12 examination and certification of emergency medical 13 care providers. These rules shall include, but 14 need not be limited to, requirements concerning 15 prerequisites, training, and experience for emergency 16 medical care providers and procedures for determining 17 when individuals have met these requirements. The 18 department shall adopt rules to recognize the 19 previous EMS training and experience of first 20 responders and emergency medical technicians to 21 provide for an equitable transition to the EMT basic 22 certification emergency medical care providers 23 transitioning to the emergency medical responder, 24 emergency medical technician, advanced emergency 25 medical technician, and paramedic levels. The 26 department may require additional training and 27 examinations as necessary and appropriate to ensure 28 that individuals seeking certification transition to 29 another level have met the EMT basic knowledge and 30 skill requirements. All requirements for transition 31 to another level, including fees, shall be adopted by 32 rule. The department shall establish the fee for the 33 3. 34 examination of the emergency medical care providers 35 to cover the administrative costs of the examination 36 program. 37 4. The department shall adopt rules required 38 or authorized by this subchapter pertaining to the 39 operation of training programs. These rules shall
- 40 include but need not be limited to requirements
- 41 concerning curricula, resources, facilities, and staff.
- Sec. 11. Section 147A.5, subsections 1 and 3, Code 42 43 2009, are amended to read as follows:
 - 1. An ambulance, rescue, or first
- 45 response A service program in this state that
- 46 desires to provide emergency medical care in the
- 47 out-of-hospital setting shall apply to the department
- 48 for authorization to establish a program for delivery
- 49 of the care at the scene of an emergency, during
- 50 transportation to a hospital, during transfer from

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- 1 one medical care facility to another or to a private 2 residence, or while in the hospital emergency
- 3 department, and until care is directly assumed by a 4 physician or by authorized hospital personnel.
- 5 3. The department may deny an application for 6 authorization, or may impose a civil penalty not to 7 exceed one thousand dollars upon, place on probation,
- 8 $suspend_{\tau}$ or revoke the authorization of, or otherwise
- 9 discipline a service program with an existing
- 10 authorization if the department finds reason to
- 11 believe the service program has not been or will not
- 12 be operated in compliance with this subchapter and the
- 13 rules adopted pursuant to this subchapter, or that
- 14 there is insufficient assurance of adequate protection
- 15 for the public. The authorization, denial, or civil
- 16 penalty, period of probation, suspension, or
- 17 revocation, or other disciplinary action shall be
- 18 effected and may be appealed as provided by section 19 17A.12.
- Sec. 12. Section 147A.6, Code 2009, is amended to 21 read as follows:
- 22 147A.6 Emergency medical care provider certificates 23 -- renewal.
- 1. The department, upon application and receipt
- 25 of the prescribed fee, shall issue a certificate to
- 26 an individual who has met all of the requirements
- 27 for emergency medical care provider certification
- 28 established by the rules adopted under section 147A.4,
- 29 subsection 2. All fees and civil penalties received
- 30 pursuant to this section and sections 147A.5, 147A.7,
- 31 <u>and 147A.17</u> shall be deposited in the emergency medical 32 services fund established in section 135.25.
- 2. Emergency medical care provider certificates
- 34 are valid for the multiyear period determined by the
- 35 department, unless sooner suspended or revoked. The
- 36 certificate shall be renewed upon application of
- 37 the holder and receipt of the prescribed fee if the
- 38 holder has satisfactorily completed continuing medical
- 39 education programs as required by rule.
- 40 3. If the certificate holder fails to complete
- the required continuing education prior to the time
- 42 of renewal, the certificate holder may request a
- forty-five day extension. Request for extension must be submitted to the department prior to the expiration
- businesses to the department prior to the expiration
- 45 date and include a fifty dollar extension fee. The
- 46 certificate may be renewed only during that forty-five
- 47 day period on submission of a completed renewal
- 48 application, and payment of applicable renewal fee.
- 49 Sec. 13. Section 147A.7, Code 2009, is amended to 50 read as follows:

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- 1 147A.7 Denial, suspension, or revocation of 2 certificates -- other disciplinary action -- hearing -- 3 appeal.
- 1. The department may deny an application for issuance or renewal of an emergency medical care provider certificate or may impose a civil penalty not to exceed one thousand dollars upon, place on probation, or suspend or revoke the certificate of, or otherwise discipline the certificate holder when it finds that the applicant or certificate holder is guilty of any of the following acts or offenses:
- 12 a. Negligence in performing authorized services.
- 13 b. Failure to follow the directions of the 14 supervising physician.
- 15 c. Rendering treatment not authorized under this 16 subchapter.
 - d. Fraud in procuring certification.
 - e. Professional incompetency.
- 19 f. Knowingly making misleading, deceptive, untrue 20 or fraudulent representation in the practice of a 21 profession or engaging in unethical conduct or practice 22 harmful or detrimental to the public. Proof of actual 23 injury need not be established.
- 24 g. Habitual intoxication or addiction to the use of 25 drugs.
 - h. Fraud in representations as to skill or ability.
- 27 i. Willful or repeated violations of this 28 subchapter or of rules adopted pursuant to this 29 subchapter.
- j. Violating a statute of this state, another state, or the United States, without regard to its designation as either a felony or misdemeanor, which relates to the practice of an emergency medical care provider. A copy of the record of conviction or plea of quilty is conclusive evidence of the violation.
- 36 k. Having certification to practice as an emergency 37 medical care provider revoked or suspended, or having 38 other disciplinary action taken by a licensing or 39 certifying authority of another state, territory, or 40 country. A certified copy of the record or order of 41 suspension, revocation, or disciplinary action is 42 conclusive or prima facie evidence.
 - 1. Other acts or offenses as specified by rule.
- 2. A determination of mental incompetence by a 45 court of competent jurisdiction automatically suspends 46 a certificate for the duration of the certificate 47 unless the department orders otherwise.
- 48 3. A denial, <u>civil penalty</u>, <u>period of</u>
 49 <u>probation</u>, <u>suspension</u>, or revocation under this
 50 section shall be effected, and may be appealed in
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27 department.

- 1 accordance with the rules of the department established 2 pursuant to chapter 272C.
- Sec. 14. Section 147A.8, Code Supplement 2009, is 4 amended to read as follows:
- 147A.8 Authority of certified emergency medical care 6 provider.
- 1. An emergency medical care provider properly 8 certified under this subchapter may:
- a. 1. Render emergency and nonemergency medical 10 care, rescue, and lifesaving services in those areas
- 11 for which the emergency medical care provider is
- 12 certified, as defined and approved in accordance
- 13 with the rules of the department, at the scene of an
- 14 emergency, during transportation to a hospital or while
- 15 in the hospital emergency department, and until care
- 16 is directly assumed by a physician or by authorized 17 hospital personnel.
- b. 2. Function in any hospital or any other entity 19 in which health care is ordinarily provided only when
- 20 under the direct supervision, as defined by rules
- 21 adopted pursuant to chapter 17A, of a physician, when 22 the emergency care provider is any of the following:
- 23 $\frac{1}{1}$ a. Enrolled as a student or participating 24 as a preceptor in a training program approved by the 25 department; or or an agency authorized in another state 26 to provide initial EMS education and approved by the
- 28 -(2) b. Fulfilling continuing education 29 requirements as defined by rule; or.
- -(3) c. Employed by or assigned to a hospital
- 31 or other entity in which health care is ordinarily 32 provided only when under the direct supervision of a
- 33 physician, as a member of an authorized ambulance,
- 34 rescue, or first response service program, or in
- 35 an individual capacity, by rendering lifesaving
- 36 services in the facility in which employed or assigned
- 37 pursuant to the emergency medical care provider's
- 38 certification and under the direct supervision of a
- 39 physician, physician assistant, or registered nurse.
- 40 An emergency medical care provider shall not routinely
- 41 function without the direct supervision of a physician,
- 42 physician assistant, or registered nurse. However, 43 when the physician, physician assistant, or registered
- 44 nurse cannot directly assume emergency care of the
- 45 patient, the emergency medical care provider may
- 46 perform without direct supervision emergency medical 47 care procedures for which that individual is certified
- 48 if the life of the patient is in immediate danger and
- 49 such care is required to preserve the patient's life; 50 or.

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-(4) d. Employed by or assigned to a hospital 2 or other entity in which health care is ordinarily 3 provided only when under the direct supervision of a 4 physician, as a member of an authorized ambulance, 5 rescue, or first response service program, or in 6 an individual capacity, to perform nonlifesaving 7 procedures for which those individuals have been 8 certified and are designated in a written job 9 description. Such procedures may be performed after 10 the patient is observed by and when the emergency 11 medical care provider is under the supervision of the 12 physician, physician assistant, or registered nurse, 13 including when the registered nurse is not acting in 14 the capacity of a physician designee, and where the 15 procedure may be immediately abandoned without risk to 16 the patient.

2. Nothing in this subchapter shall be construed 18 to require any voluntary ambulance, rescue, or first 19 response service to provide a level of care beyond 20 minimum basic care standards.

Sec. 15. Section 147A.11, Code 2009, is amended to 21 22 read as follows:

147A.11 Prohibited acts.

- 1. Any person not certified as required by this 24 25 subchapter who claims to be an emergency medical care 26 provider, or who uses any other term to indicate or 27 imply that the person is an emergency medical care 28 provider, or who acts as an emergency medical care 29 provider without having obtained the appropriate 30 certificate under this subchapter, is quilty of a class 31 "D" felony.
- 32 2. An owner of an unauthorized ambulance, rescue, 33 or first response service program in this state who 34 operates or purports to operate an ambulance, rescue, 35 or first response a service program, or who uses any 36 term to indicate or imply authorization without having 37 obtained the appropriate authorization under this 38 subchapter, is guilty of a class "D" felony.
- 3. Any person who imparts or conveys, or causes 40 to be imparted or conveyed, or attempts to impart 41 or convey false information concerning the need 42 for assistance of an ambulance, rescue, or first 43 response a service program or of any personnel or 44 equipment thereof, knowing such information to be 45 false, is guilty of a serious misdemeanor. Sec. 16. Section 147A.12, subsection 1, Code 2009,
- 47 is amended to read as follows:
- 1. This subchapter does not restrict a registered 49 nurse, licensed pursuant to chapter 152, from 50 staffing an authorized ambulance, rescue, or first H-8288 -8-

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- 1 response service program provided the registered 2 nurse can document equivalency through education and 3 additional skills training essential in the delivery of 4 out-of-hospital emergency care. The equivalency shall 5 be accepted when:
- a. Documentation has been reviewed and approved the local level by the medical director of the medical director of the medical director of the ambulance, rescue, or first response service program in accordance with the rules of the board of nursing developed jointly with the department.
- 11 b. Authorization has been granted to that 12 ambulance, rescue, or first response service <u>program</u> by 13 the department.
- 14 Sec. 17. Section 147A.13, Code 2009, is amended to 15 read as follows:
- 147A.13 Physician assistant exception.
- 17 This subchapter does not restrict a physician
- 18 assistant, licensed pursuant to chapter 148C, from
- 19 staffing an authorized ambulance, rescue, or first
- 20 response service program if the physician assistant
- 21 can document equivalency through education and
- 22 additional skills training essential in the delivery of
- 23 out-of-hospital emergency care. The equivalency shall
- 24 be accepted when:
- 1. Documentation has been reviewed and approved at the local level by the medical director of the ambulance, rescue, or first response service program in accordance with the rules of the board of physician assistants developed after consultation with the department.
- 2. Authorization has been granted to that 32 ambulance, rescue, or first response service <u>program</u> by 33 the department.
- 34 Sec. 18. <u>NEW SECTION</u>. 147A.17 Applications for 35 emergency medical care services training programs -- 36 approval or denial -- disciplinary actions.
- 1. An Iowa college approved by the north central as association of colleges and schools or an Iowa hospital in this state that desires to provide emergency medical care services training leading to certification as an emergency medical care provider shall apply to the department for authorization to establish a training program.
- 2. The department shall approve an application submitted in accordance with subsection 1 when the department is satisfied that the program proposed by the application will be operated in compliance with this subchapter and the rules adopted pursuant to this subchapter.
- 50 3. The department may deny an application for H-8288 -9-

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1 authorization or may impose a civil penalty not to 2 exceed one thousand dollars upon, place on probation, 3 suspend or revoke the authorization of, or otherwise 4 discipline a training program with an existing 5 authorization if the department finds reason to believe 6 the program has not been or will not be operated 7 in compliance with this subchapter and the rules 8 adopted pursuant to this subchapter, or that there 9 is insufficient assurance of adequate protection for 10 the public. The authorization denial, civil penalty, 11 period of probation, suspension, or revocation, or 12 other disciplinary action shall be effected and may be 13 appealed as provided by section 17A.12. Sec. 19. Section 321.267A, subsection 5, Code 2009, 15 is amended to read as follows: 5. For the purposes of this section, "other 17 emergency responder" means a fire fighter certified 18 as a fire fighter I pursuant to rules adopted under 19 chapter 100B and trained in emergency driving or an 20 emergency medical responder care provider certified 21 under chapter 147A and trained in emergency driving. 22 Sec. 20. Section 724.6, subsection 2, Code 23 Supplement 2009, is amended to read as follows: 2. Notwithstanding subsection 1, fire fighters, 25 as defined in section 411.1, subsection 10, airport 26 fire fighters included under section 97B.49B, emergency 27 rescue technicians, and emergency medical care 28 providers, as defined in section 147A.1, shall not, 29 as a condition of employment, be required to obtain a 30 permit under this section. However, the provisions of 31 this subsection shall not apply to a person designated 32 as an arson investigator by the chief fire officer of 33 a political subdivision.> By THOMAS of Clayton

H-8288 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

H-8285

- 1 Amend the amendment, $\underline{\text{H-8274}}$, to $\underline{\text{House File 2399}}$ as 2 follows:
- 3 1. Page 1, by striking lines 15 and 16 and
- 4 inserting <tariff filing made on or before December 31,
- 5 2013, the reasonable>
- 6 2. Page 1, line 26, after <period, > by inserting 7 <which shall extend no more than thirty-six months in
- 8 total,>
- 9 3. Page 2, after line 2 by inserting:
- 10 <___. Page 1, by striking line 11 and inserting
- 11 <facilities, or the significant alteration of an
- 12 existing generating facility as provided in subsection
- 13 1, shall be implemented>>
- 14 4. Page 2, by striking lines 8 through 12
- 15 and inserting <of the electric power generating
- 16 facility, or alternate energy production facility,>
- 5. Page 2, by striking lines 19 and 20 and
- 18 inserting <facility with a nameplate generating>
- l9 6. Page 2, line 24, after <476.42> by inserting
- 20 <, or to significantly alter an existing generating
- 21 facility>
- 22 7. Page 3, line 14, after <state, > by inserting
- 23 <permitting all rate-regulated public utilities to
- 24 make significant alterations to an existing generating 25 facility,>
- 26 8. By renumbering as necessary.

By QUIRK of Chickasaw

H-8285 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

HOUSE FILE 2410

H-8278

- 1 Amend House File 2410 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, after line 33 by inserting:
- 3 <f. This subsection shall cease to be applicable</p>
- 4 if the United States food and drug administration
- 5 and the national institutes of health study and
- 6 find no significant difference in the equivalence
- 7 of antiepileptic drugs. The board of pharmacy shall
- 8 notify the Code editor of such finding.>

By SMITH of Marshall

H-8278 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

HOUSE FILE 2410

H-8279

- 1 Amend House File 2410 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, by striking lines 15 through 18 and
- 3 inserting <representative at the time the drug is
 4 dispensed.>

By SMITH of Marshall

H-8279 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

H-8282

- Amend House File 2446 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, before line 1 by inserting:
- 3 <Section 1. Section 455B.301, subsection 21, Code</pre>
- 4 2009, is amended to read as follows:
- 5 21. "Sanitary disposal project" means all facilities
- 6 and appurtenances including all real and personal
- 7 property connected with such facilities, which are
- 8 acquired, purchased, constructed, reconstructed,
- 9 equipped, improved, extended, maintained, or operated
- 10 to facilitate the final disposition of solid waste
- 11 without creating a significant hazard to the public
- 12 health or safety, and which are approved by the
- 13 executive director. For purposes of this part 1
- 14 of division IV, "sanitary disposal project" does
- 15 not mean facilities and appurtenances containing
- 16 building-related construction debris and demolition
- 17 materials.>
- 18 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By HORBACH of Tama

H-8282 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

HOUSE FILE 2462

H-8289

- 1 Amend the amendment, H-8218, to House File 2462 as
- 2 follows:
- 3 1. Page 1, by striking lines 2 through 7 and
- 4 inserting:
- 5 < . Page 1, by striking lines 13 through 15.>
- By STRUYK of Pottawattamie KELLEY of Black Hawk HUSER of Polk PETTENGILL of Benton
- H-8289 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

HOUSE FILE 2462

H - 8297

- 1 Amend the amendment, $\underline{H-8157}$, to $\underline{House File 2462}$ as
- 2 follows:
- 3 1. Page 1, by striking lines 2 through 12 and
- 4 inserting:
- 5 <___. Page 1, lines 11 and 12, by striking <, and
- 6 computer software>>
- 7 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By RAECKER of Polk

H-8297 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

H-8284

- Amend **House File 2473** as follows:
- 2 1. Page 1, after line 31 by inserting:
- 3 <Sec. . Section 716.7, subsection 2, Code 2009,
- 4 is amended by adding the following new paragraph:
- 5 <u>NEW PARAGRAPH</u>. f. Entering upon or in property
- 6 that is under consideration for condemnation by an
- 7 acquiring agency, as defined in section 6B.1, but prior
- 8 to the commencement of eminent domain proceedings under
- 9 chapter 6A or 6B, without the express permission of the
- 10 owner, lessee, or person in lawful possession.>
- 11 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By WATTS of Dallas

H-8284 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

HOUSE FILE 2481

H-8300

- 1 Amend House File 2481 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 28, after line 15 by inserting:
- 3 <Sec. DEER LICENSE STUDY.
- 4 1. The legislative services agency shall prepare a
- 5 study to determine the economic impact of increasing
- 6 the number of antlered and antlerless deer hunting
- 7 licenses available for sale to nonresidents who own
- 8 Iowa farmland.
- 9 2. To the extent practicable, the study shall
- 10 estimate the potential revenue to the state by
- 11 increasing the number of such licenses and shall
- 12 estimate the impact on the deer population.
- 13 3. The legislative services agency shall submit
- 14 the results of the study to the legislative council by
- 15 January 1, 2011.>
- 16 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By PETTENGILL of Benton HANSON of Jefferson

H-8300 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

H-8281

- Amend House File 2492 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 5, line 9, by striking <subparagraph (3), 3 Code Supplement 2009, is> and inserting <subparagraphs
- 4 (3) and (5), Code Supplement 2009, are>
- 5 2. Page 5, after line 27 by inserting:
- 6 <(5) Resident pupils receiving competent private
- 7 instruction from a licensed practitioner provided
- 8 through a public school district pursuant to chapter
- 9 299A shall be counted as three-tenths of one pupil.
- 10 Revenues received by a school district attributed to a
- 11 school district's weighted enrollment pursuant to this
- 12 paragraph shall be expended for the purpose for which
- 13 the weighting was assigned under this paragraph. If
- 14 the school district determines that the expenditures
- 15 associated with providing competent private instruction
- 16 pursuant to chapter 299A are in excess of the
- 17 revenue attributed to the school district's weighted
- 18 enrollment for such instruction in accordance with this
- 19 subparagraph, the school district may submit a request
- 20 to the school budget review committee for modified
- 21 allowable growth in accordance with section 257.31,
- 22 subsection 5, paragraph "n". A home school assistance
- 23 program shall not provide moneys received pursuant to
- 24 this subparagraph, nor resources paid for with moneys
- 25 received pursuant to this subparagraph, to parents or
- 26 students utilizing the program. Moneys received by a
- 27 school district pursuant to this subparagraph shall be
- 28 used as provided in section 299A.12.>
 - 9 3. Page 17, after line 35 by inserting:
- 30 <Sec. ___. <u>NEW SECTION</u>. 299A.12 Home school
- 31 assistance program.
- 1. The board of directors of a school district may expend moneys received pursuant to section 257.6,
- 34 subsection 1, paragraph "a", subparagraph (5), for
- 35 purposes of providing a home school assistance program.
- 2. Purposes for which a school district may expend
- 37 funds received pursuant to section 257.6, subsection 1, 38 paragraph "a", subparagraph (5), shall include but not
- 39 be limited to the following:
 - a. Assisting parents with instruction.
- b. Student and teaching-parent support services and teaching-parent support services.
- 43 c. Salary and benefits for the supervising teacher
- 44 of the home school assistance program students. If th
- 45 teacher is a part-time home school assistance program
- 46 teacher and a part-time regular classroom teacher,
- 47 funds received pursuant to section 257.6, subsection
- 48 1, paragraph "a", subparagraph (5), may be used only
- 49 for the portion of time in which the teacher is a home
- 50 school assistance program teacher.

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- d. Salary and benefits for clerical and office staff of the home school assistance program. If the staff members are shared with other programs or functions within the district, funds received pursuant to section 257.6, subsection 1, paragraph "a", subparagraph (5), shall only be expended for the portion of time spent providing the home school assistance program services.
- 9 e. Staff development for the home school assistance 10 program teacher.
- 11 f. Travel for the home school assistance program 12 teacher.
- 13 g. Resources, materials, computer software and 14 hardware, and supplies, and purchased services that 15 meet the following criteria:
- 16 (1) Are necessary to provide the services of home 17 school assistance.
- 18 (2) Are retained as the possessions of the school 19 district for its prekindergarten through grade twelve 20 home school assistance program.
- 3. Purposes for which a school district shall 22 not expend funds received pursuant to section 257.6, 23 subsection 1, paragraph "a", subparagraph (5), include 24 but are not limited to the following:
- 25 a. Indirect costs or use charges.
- 26 b. Operational or maintenance costs in addition to 27 the cost of maintaining school district facilities.
- 28 c. Capital expenditures.
- 29 d. Student transportation except in cases of home 30 school assistance program-approved field trips or other 31 educational activities.
- 32 e. Administrative costs.
- f. Concurrent enrollment program costs and postsecondary enrollment options program costs.
- 35 g. Any other expenditures not directly related to 36 providing the home school assistance program. A home 37 school assistance program shall not provide moneys to 38 parents or students utilizing the program.>
- 39 4. By renumbering as necessary.

By KELLEY of Black Hawk

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23 board.

- Amend House File 2494 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 2, line 17, by striking <is a practicing> 3 and inserting <as an obstetrician or>
- 4 2. Page 2, by striking lines 23 through 25 and 5 inserting <midwives; and two members who shall 6 represent the general public and who are not licensed 7 as a midwife, physician, or nurse.>
- 8 3. Page 3, line 8, after <periods> by inserting <, 9 including newborn care up to six weeks,>
- 10 4. Page 3, line 22, by striking <2011> and 11 inserting <2012>
- 12 5. Page 3, line 26, after <shall> by inserting 13 <meet minimum education requirements and>
- 14 6. Page 3, line 32, after <resuscitation.> by
 15 inserting <Applicants must also hold a certified
 16 professional midwife credential issued by the north
 17 American registry of midwives or any other nationally
 18 accredited credential as specified by the board. If
 19 an applicant has been subject to prior revocation of a
 20 license to practice medicine or nursing, the applicant
 21 is not eligible for licensure under this chapter,
 22 unless the applicant makes a satisfactory appeal to the
- In reviewing applications, the board may request, at the applicant's expense, that the department of public safety perform a criminal history check and the department of human services perform child and dependent adult abuse record checks of the applicant. If an applicant has a criminal record or a record of founded child or dependent adult abuse, the board shall perform an evaluation to determine whether the record
- 31 perform an evaluation to determine whether the record 32 warrants denial of licensure.>
- 7. Page 4, after line 3 by inserting:
- 34 <Sec. ___. NEW SECTION. 148F.3A Insurance.
- If the board determines that liability insurance is available at an affordable price to licensed midwives, the board may mandate such coverage by rule. Until that time, a licensed midwife shall provide each client with a disclosure statement indicating that the midwife does not have liability insurance as provided in section 148F.5.>
- 8. Page 4, line 16, after <midwife, > by inserting 43 <as specified in section 148F.2, >
 - 9. Page 4, by striking lines 25 through 28.
- 10. Page 4, line 33, by striking <shall> and 46 inserting <may>
- 47 11. Page 5, by striking lines 6 through 13 and 48 inserting:
- 49 <3. In establishing rules, the board shall reflect
 50 the knowledge and skills identified by the north
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 1 American registry of midwives' current job description
 2 for the profession and the standards of practice of
 3 midwifery established by the national association
 4 of certified professional midwives or a successor
 5 organization.>
      12. Page 5, line 16, after <information> by
 7 inserting <, in a manner determined by the board by
 8 rule,>
      13. Page 6, line 4, by striking <2011> and
 9
10 inserting <2012>
      14. Page 6, by striking lines 13 through 21.
           Page 7, line 16, by striking <2011> and
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      15.
13 inserting <2012>
          By renumbering as necessary.
                              By MASCHER of Johnson
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HOUSE FILE 2499

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     Amend House File 2499 as follows:
      1. Page 1, after line 17 by inserting:
      <Sec. ___. Section 331.608, subsection 6, paragraph
 4 e, Code Supplement 2009, is amended to read as follows:
      e. When otherwise required by a department or
 6 agency of the federal or state government or a
 7 political subdivision. The recorder shall make these
 8 records available to the department of veterans affairs
 9 and the county commission of veteran affairs. For
10 records recorded before, on, or after the effective
11 date of this Act, the recorder shall provide a copy of
12 each such record to the county commission of veteran
13 affairs and to the department of veterans affairs.
14 Copies of records recorded before the effective date of
15 this Act shall be provided not later than January 1,
16 2011. For records recorded on or after the effective
17 date of this Act, such copies shall be provided within
18 thirty days of recording. The department of veterans
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22 and requirements that are imposed on the recorder.> 2. Title page, line 1, after <Act> by inserting 24 < relating to veterans records by requiring county 25 recorders to provide copies of certain records to 26 the department of veterans affairs and the county 27 commission of veteran affairs and by> 3. By renumbering as necessary.

19 affairs and its employees and the county commission of 20 veteran affairs and its employees shall be subject to 21 the same state and federal confidentiality restrictions

By CHAMBERS of O'Brien

H-8280 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

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H-8292

- Amend **House File 2502** as follows:
- 2 1. By striking page 15, line 26, through page 16, 3 line 9.
- 4 2. By renumbering as necessary.

By PETTENGILL of Benton DRAKE of Cass

H-8292 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

HOUSE FILE 2502

H-8294

- 1 Amend House File 2502 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 13, lines 25 and 26, by striking <for
- 3 members in regular service>
- 4 2. Page 13, line 27, by striking <one-half one> and
- 5 inserting <one-half>

By PETTENGILL of Benton DRAKE of Cass

H-8294 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

HOUSE FILE 2502

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- 1 Amend House File 2502 as follows:
- 2 1. By striking page 23, line 35, through page 25,
- 3 line 26.
- 4 2. Page 26, line 22, by striking <ADVISORY
- 5 COMMITTEE> and inserting <BOARD>
- 6 3. Page 26, line 23, by striking <benefits advisory
- 7 committee> and inserting <board of trustees>
- 8 4. Page 26, lines 24 and 25, by striking <, as
- 9 enacted by this division of this Act,>
- 10 5. Page 26, lines 32 and 33, by striking <benefits
- 11 advisory committee> and inserting <board of trustees>
- 12 6. By renumbering as necessary.

By PETTENGILL of Benton DRAKE of Cass

H-8295 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

H-8286

- Amend House File 2503 as follows:
- 2 1. Page 3, by striking lines 2 and 3 and inserting 3 <of trust fund moneys distributed to any one account 4 established>
 - 2. Page 3, after line 10 by inserting:
- 6 <1. A description of public hearings and meetings
- 7 required to be conducted pursuant to subchapter
- 8 II, any results that impacted upon departmental
- 9 decision-making, and a plan for conducting public
- 10 hearings and meetings in the following year.>
- 11 3. Page 3, line 11, by striking <1.> and inserting 12 <2.>
- 13 4. Page 3, line 16, by striking <2.> and inserting 14 <3.>
- 15 5. Page 4, by striking lines 32 through 35 and 16 inserting:
- 17 <a. The establishment, restoration, or enhancement
- 18 of state parks, state preserves, wildlife areas,
- 19 wildlife habitats, native prairies, and wetlands.>
- 20 6. By renumbering as necessary.

By BELL of Jasper

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Amend the amendment, S-5072, to Senate File 2088,
2 as amended, passed, and reprinted by the Senate, as
3 follows:
      1. By striking page 1, line 3, through page 22,
5 line 31, and inserting:
     <___. Page 1, after line 31 by inserting:
      <Oe. Network services, including equipment and
7
8 software which support local area networks, campus
9 area networks, wide area networks, and metro area
10 networks. Network services also include data network
11 services such as routers, switches, firewalls, virtual
12 private networks, intrusion detection systems, access
13 control, internet protocol load balancers, event
14 logging and correlation, and content caching. Network
15 services do not include services provided by the Iowa
16 communications network pursuant to chapter 8D or by
17 the public broadcasting division of the department of
18 education.>
           Page 2, line 25, after <appointment.> by
20 inserting <The chief information officer position is
21 attached to the department of management.>
22
      . Page 3, line 19, after <acquisition> by
23 inserting <, utilization, or provision>
24 . Page 3, line 27, after <Whether the> by
25 inserting <failure to grant a>
          Page 4, after line 12 by inserting:
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27
      <(7) Whether the failure to grant a waiver would
28 jeopardize federal funding.>
      . Page 4, after line 30 by inserting:
      <d. A participating agency may appeal the decision
30
31 of the chief information officer to the director within
32 seven calendar days following the decision of the chief
33 information officer. The director, after consultation
34 with the technology advisory council, shall respond
35 within fourteen days following the receipt of the
36 appeal.>
           Page 4, after line 30 by inserting:
38
      <e. The department of public defense, including
39 both the military division and the homeland security
40 and emergency management division, shall not be
41 required to obtain any information technology services
42 pursuant to this subchapter for the department of
43 public defense or its divisions that is provided by the
44 department pursuant to this chapter without the consent
45 of the adjutant general.>
46 ____. Page 7, line 10, by striking <or other
47 agencies>
     ___. Page 7, after line 25 by inserting:
     <q. Encourage participating agencies to utilize</pre>
50 a print on demand strategy to reduce publication
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- 1 overruns, excessive inventory, and obsolete printed
 2 materials. >>
 - 2. Page 22, after line 46 by inserting:
- 4 < . Page 35, line 29, after <agencies> by
- 5 inserting <, except the department of public safety,>>
 - 3. Page 30, after line 3 by inserting:
- 7 <Sec. ___. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. This division
- 8 of this Act, being deemed of immediate importance,
- 9 takes effect upon enactment. >>
- 10 4. Page 36, line 4, after <state.> by inserting <A
- 11 member of the state board shall not be a provider of
- 12 services or other entity receiving funding through the
- 13 early childhood Iowa initiative or be employed by such
- 14 a provider or other entity.>
- 15 5. Page 37, line 30, by striking <and data> and 16 inserting <and data reporting requirements, applicable 17 statewide,>
- 18 6. Page 37, by striking lines 32 and 33 and
- 19 inserting <boards. The data from common performance
- 20 measures and other data shall be posted on the early
- 21 childhood Iowa internet site and disseminated by other
- 22 means and shall also be aggregated to provide statewide
- 23 information.>
- 7. Page 38, line 8, by striking <If> and inserting
- 25 <Subject to the funding requirements and other
- 26 requirements established in law, if>
- 8. Page 38, line 9, by striking <shall> and
- 28 inserting <may>
- 9. Page 38, line 11, by striking <may> and
- 30 inserting <shall>
- 31 10. Page 39, lines 6 and 7, by striking
- 32 <coordination center> and inserting <Iowa office>
- 33 11. Page 39, line 13, by striking <Adopt> and
- 34 inserting <Except for the fiscal oversight measures to
- 35 be adopted by the department, adopt>
- 36 12. Page 39, line 33, by striking <measurer> and
- 37 inserting <measures>
- 38 13. Page 39, line 44, by striking <center> and
- 39 inserting <staff>
- 40 14. By striking page 39, line 45, through page 40,
- 41 line 18, and inserting:
- 42 <1. The department shall provide administrative
- 43 support for implementation of the early childhood Iowa
- 44 initiative and for the state board. The department
- 45 shall adopt rules in consultation with the state board
- 46 to provide fiscal oversight of the initiative. The
- 47 fiscal oversight measures adopted shall include but are
- 48 not limited to all of the following:
- 49 a. Reporting and other requirements to address the
- 50 financial activities employed by area boards.

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- 1 b. Regular audits and other requirements of fiscal 2 agents for area boards.
- 3 c. Requirements for area boards to undertake 4 and report on fiscal and performance reviews of the 5 programs, contracts, services, and other functions 6 funded by the area boards.
- 7 2. An early childhood Iowa office is established in 8 the department to provide leadership for facilitation, 9 communication, and coordination for the early childhood
- 10 Iowa initiative activities and funding and for
- 11 improvement of the early care, education, health,
- 12 and human services systems. An administrator for the
- 13 early childhood Iowa office shall be appointed by the
- 14 director of the department. Other staff may also be
- 15 designated, subject to appropriation made for this 16 purpose.>
- 17 15. Page 40, line 22, by striking <center> and 18 inserting <office>
- 19 16. Page 40, line 26, by striking <center> and 20 inserting <office>
- 21 17. Page 40, line 28, by striking <center> and 22 inserting <office>
- 18. Page 41, line 8, by striking <center> and 24 inserting <office>
- 25 19. Page 42, line 2, by striking <A majority of 26 the> and inserting <The>
- 27 20. Page 42, by striking lines 41 through 44 and 28 inserting:
- 29 <a. Designate a public agency of this state, as 30 defined in section 28E.2, a community action agency
- 31 as defined in section 216A.91, an area education
- 32 agency established under section 273.2, or a nonprofit
- 33 corporation, to be the fiscal agent for grant moneys
- 34 and for other moneys administered by the area board.>
- 35 21. Page 44, line 48, after <visitation.> by
- 36 inserting <Of the funding from all sources that an area
- 37 board designates for family support programs, at least
- 38 sixty percent shall be committed to programs with a
- 39 home visitation component.>
- 40 22. Page 45, line 20, by striking <may request> and 41 inserting <shall require>
- 42 23. Page 45, lines 38 and 39, by striking <evaluate 43 the funding flexibility> and inserting <funding
- 44 amounts>
- 45 24. Page 45, line 43, by striking <Experience or 46 other evidence> and inserting <Evidence>
- 47 25. Page 46, line 29, after <use.> by inserting
- 48 < The information shall include data from the indicators
- 49 of success and performance measures adopted by the
- 50 state board and fiscal information and other data

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- 1 developed by the department.>
- 2 26. Page 47, line 6, after <account> by inserting 3 <are appropriated to and>
- 4 27. Page 47, line 11, by striking <five> and 5 inserting <three>
- 6 28. Page 47, line 16, by striking <management> and 7 inserting <human services>
- 8 29. Page 47, by striking lines 17 through 19 and 9 inserting <credited to the account are appropriated to 10 and shall be distributed by the department of human 11 services>
- 12 30. Page 47, line 40, by striking <early childhood 13 coordination center> and inserting <department of human 14 services>
- 15 31. Page 48, after line 25 by inserting: 16 <Sec. NEW SECTION. 256I.12 Early childhood 17 stakeholders alliance.
- 18 1. Alliance created. An early childhood 19 stakeholders alliance is created to support the 20 state board in addressing the early care, health, 21 and education systems that affect children ages zero 22 through five in Iowa.
- 2. Purpose. The purpose of the early childhood 24 stakeholders alliance is to oversee and provide broad 25 input into the development of a high quality Iowa early 26 childhood system that meets the needs of children zero 27 through age five and their families and integrates 28 the early care, health, and education systems. The 29 alliance shall advise the governor, general assembly, 30 state board, and other public and private policy bodies 31 and service providers in coordinating activities 32 throughout the state to fulfill its purpose.
- 33 3. Vision statement. All system development 34 activities addressed by the early childhood 35 stakeholders alliance shall be aligned around the 36 following vision statement for the children of 37 Iowa: "Every child, beginning at birth, will be 38 healthy and successful."
- 4. Membership. The early childhood stakeholders
 40 alliance membership shall include a representative
 41 of any organization that touches the lives of young
 42 children in the state zero through age five, has
 43 endorsed the purpose and vision statement for the
 44 alliance, has endorsed the guiding principles adopted
 45 by the alliance for the early childhood system, and
 46 has formally asked to be a member and remains actively
 47 engaged in alliance activities. The alliance shall
 48 work to ensure there is geographic, cultural, and
 49 ethnic diversity among the membership.
- 50 5. Procedure. Except as otherwise provided by -4-

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- 1 law, the early childhood stakeholders alliance shall 2 determine its own rules of procedure and operating
- 3 provisions.
- 4 6. Steering committee. The early childhood
- 5 stakeholders alliance shall operate with a steering
- 6 committee to organize, manage, and coordinate the
- 7 activities of the alliance and its component groups.
- 8 The steering committee may act on behalf of the
- 9 alliance as necessary. The steering committee
- 10 membership shall consist of the co-chairpersons of
- 11 the alliance's component groups, the administrator of
- 12 the early childhood Iowa office, and other leaders
- 13 designated by the alliance.
- 14 7. Component groups. The early childhood
- 15 stakeholders alliance shall maintain component groups
- 16 to address the key components of the Iowa early
- 17 childhood system. Each component group shall have one
- 18 private and one public agency co-chairperson. The
- 19 alliance may change the component groups as deemed
- 20 necessary by the alliance. Initially, there shall be a
- 21 component group for each of the following:
- 22 a. Governance planning and administration.
- 23 b. Professional development.
- 24 c. Public engagement.
- 25 d. Quality services and programs.
- 26 e. Resources and funding.
- 27 f. Results accountability.
- 28 8. Duties. The early childhood stakeholders
- 29 alliance duties shall include but are not limited to
- 30 all of the following regarding the Iowa early childhood 31 system:
- 32 a. Coordinate with the early childhood Iowa state 33 board.
- 34 b. Serve as the state advisory council required
- 35 under the federal Improving Head Start for School
- 36 Readiness Act of 2007, Pub. L. No. 110-134, as
- 37 designated by the governor.
- 38 9. Staffing. Staff support for the early childhood
- 39 stakeholders alliance shall be provided by the
- 40 department.>
- 41 32. By striking page 49, line 34, through page 53,
- 42 line 14.
- 43 33. Page 53, line 38, by striking <coordination
- 44 center> and inserting < Iowa office>
- 45 34. Page 54, line 32, by striking <coordination
- 46 center> and inserting <Iowa office>
- $\overline{47}$ $\overline{35}$. Page 55, lines 14 and 15, by striking
- 48 <coordination center> and inserting <Iowa office>
- 49 36. Page 56, line 41, by striking <coordination
- 50 <u>center</u>> and inserting <<u>Iowa office</u>>

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1 c 37. Page 56, line 48, by striking <coordination
2 enter> and inserting <Iowa office>
     38. Page 57, line 28, by striking <Chapter> and
4 inserting:
      <1.
         Sections 135.173 and 135.174, Code 2009, are
6 repealed.
7
      2. Chapter>
      39. Page 58, after line 15 by inserting:
          The department of management and the early
10 childhood Iowa board shall implement requirements
11 for school ready children grant funds or other state,
12 federal, or other funds in possession of a community
13 empowerment area remaining unobligated or unexpended to
14 be remitted to the successor early childhood Iowa area
15 board designated to serve that area. The requirements
16 shall include measures to ensure there is continuity
17 of services in the transition from the community
18 empowerment initiative to the early childhood Iowa
19 initiative.>
     40. By striking page 58, line 19, through page 59,
21 line 42, and inserting:
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      <Sec. . DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION -- COMMUNITY
23 COLLEGE ACCREDITATION RECOMMENDATIONS IMPLEMENTATION
24 REVIEW. The department of education shall review and
25 evaluate the implementation of the recommendations
26 submitted on January 22, 2010, by the community college
27 accreditation advisory committee in its final report to
28 the general assembly. The department shall submit its
29 findings and recommendations to the general assembly on
30 or before December 31, 2010.
     Sec. . DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION -- COMMUNITY
32 COLLEGE ACCREDITATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE --
33 INSTRUCTIONAL HOURS STUDY. The department of education
34 shall convene a working group, whose members shall
35 include at a minimum the members of the community
36 college accreditation advisory committee and the
37 community college faculty advisory committee. The
38 working group shall solicit comments from each of the
39 community college quality faculty committees. The
40 working group shall study the maximum academic credit
41 hour per school term workload appropriate for an
42 instructor beyond the standard workload. The working
43 group shall submit its findings and recommendations to
44 the state board of education and the general assembly
45 on or before December 31, 2010.
     Sec. ___. COMMUNITY COLLEGE ACADEMIC WORKLOAD
47 EXCEPTION -- FISCAL YEAR 2010-2011. Notwithstanding
48 section 260C.48, subsection 2, a faculty member who
49 has in previous fiscal years exceeded the eighteen
50 credit hour standard set pursuant to section 260C.48,
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 1 subsection 2, may continue to exceed the eighteen
 2 credit hour workload standard for the 2010-2011 fiscal
 3 year if the faculty member elects to teach beyond the
 4 eighteen credit hour workload standard.>
      41. Page 90, after line 30 by inserting:
      <___. Page 251, line 6, by striking <October> and
7 inserting <July>
8 . Page 251, line 6, after <and> by inserting <by
9 January 1, 2011,>
     ____. Page 251, after line 10 by inserting:
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11
     <Sec. . EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. The section
12 of this division of this Act concerning correctional
13 facility closure, being deemed of immediate importance,
14 takes effect upon enactment. >>
     42. By renumbering as necessary.
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     Amend Senate File 2150, as passed by the Senate, as
 2 follows:
      1. Page 1, before line 1 by inserting:
      <Section 1. Section 321.178, subsection 2,
 5 paragraph a, Code 2009, is amended to read as follows:
      a. (1) A person between sixteen and eighteen
 7 years of age who has completed an approved driver's
 8 education course and is not in attendance at school
 9 and has not met the requirements described in section
10 299.2, subsection 1, may be issued a restricted license
11 only for travel to and from work or to transport
12 dependents to and from temporary care facilities,
13 if necessary for the person to maintain the person's
14 present employment. The restricted license shall be
15 issued by the department only upon confirmation of the
16 person's employment and need for a restricted license
17 to travel to and from work or to transport dependents
18 to and from temporary care facilities if necessary to
19 maintain the person's employment. The employer shall
20 notify the department if the employment of the person
21 is terminated before the person attains the age of
22 eighteen.
      (2) A person issued a restricted license under
24 this section shall not use an electronic communication
25 device or an electronic entertainment device, other
26 than a radio installed in the motor vehicle, while
27 driving a motor vehicle unless the motor vehicle is at
28 a complete stop off the roadway.>
      2. Page 3, after line 9 by inserting:
      <Sec. . Section 321.180B, Code Supplement 2009,
31 is amended by adding the following new subsection:
     NEW SUBSECTION. 6A. A person issued an instruction
33 permit or intermediate driver's license under this
34 section shall not use an electronic communication
35 device or an electronic entertainment device, other
36 than a radio installed in the motor vehicle, while
37 driving a motor vehicle unless the motor vehicle is at
38 a complete stop off the roadway.>
      3. Page 3, line 11, by striking <paragraph:> and
40 inserting <paragraphs:>
41
      4. Page 3, line 12, by striking <0b. > and inserting
42 c.>
      5. Page 3, after line 20 by inserting:
43
      <NEW PARAGRAPH. d. A person issued a driver's
45 license under this section shall not use an electronic
46 communication device or an electronic entertainment
47 device, other than a radio installed in the motor
48 vehicle, while driving a motor vehicle unless the motor
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49 vehicle is at a complete stop off the roadway.

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Sec. ___. NEW SECTION. 321.238 Use of electronic

H-8283 Page 2 1 devices while driving -- preemption of local 2 legislation. The provisions of sections 321.178, 321.180B, and 4 321.194 restricting the use of electronic communication 5 devices and electronic entertainment devices by certain 6 motor vehicle operators shall be implemented uniformly 7 throughout the state. Such provisions shall preempt 8 any county or municipal ordinance regarding the use 9 of an electronic communication device or electronic 10 entertainment device by a motor vehicle operator. In 11 addition, a county or municipality shall not adopt 12 or continue in effect an ordinance regarding the use 13 of an electronic communication device or electronic 14 entertainment device by a motor vehicle operator.> 6. Title page, lines 1 and 2, by striking 16 censes> and inserting <licenses, minor's restricted 17 licenses,> 7. Title page, line 2, by striking censes, 19 making a penalty> and inserting <licenses and to the 20 use of certain electronic devices by motor vehicle

21 operators, making penalties>
22 8. By renumbering as necessary.

By RAECKER of Polk

H-8283 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

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Amend the amendment, H-8283, to Senate File 2150, as
2 passed by the Senate, as follows:
     1. By striking page 1, line 3, through page 2, line
4 22, and inserting:
     <1. Page 1, before line 1 by inserting:
      <Section 1. Section 321.178, subsection 2,
7 paragraph a, Code 2009, is amended to read as follows:
         (1) A person between sixteen and eighteen
9 years of age who has completed an approved driver's
10 education course and is not in attendance at school
11 and has not met the requirements described in section
12 299.2, subsection 1, may be issued a restricted license
13 only for travel to and from work or to transport
14 dependents to and from temporary care facilities,
15 if necessary for the person to maintain the person's
16 present employment. The restricted license shall be
17 issued by the department only upon confirmation of the
18 person's employment and need for a restricted license
19 to travel to and from work or to transport dependents
20 to and from temporary care facilities if necessary to
21 maintain the person's employment. The employer shall
22 notify the department if the employment of the person
23 is terminated before the person attains the age of
24 eighteen.
      (2) A person issued a restricted license under
26 this section shall not use an electronic communication
27 device or an electronic entertainment device while
28 driving a motor vehicle unless the motor vehicle is at
29 a complete stop off the roadway. This subparagraph
30 does not apply to the use of electronic equipment which
31 is permanently installed in the motor vehicle or to a
32 portable device which is operated through permanently
33 installed equipment.>
      2. Page 3, after line 9 by inserting:
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     <Sec. ___. Section 321.180B, Code Supplement 2009,
35
36 is amended by adding the following new subsection:
     NEW SUBSECTION. 6A. A person issued an instruction
38 permit or intermediate driver's license under this
39 section shall not use an electronic communication
40 device or an electronic entertainment device while
41 driving a motor vehicle unless the motor vehicle is
42 at a complete stop off the roadway. This subsection
43 does not apply to the use of electronic equipment which
44 is permanently installed in the motor vehicle or to a
45 portable device which is operated through permanently
46 installed equipment.>
        Page 3, line 11, by striking <paragraph:> and
48 inserting <paragraphs:>
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     4. Page 3, line 12, by striking <0b.> and inserting
50 c.>
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      5. Page 3, after line 20 by inserting:
      <NEW PARAGRAPH. d. A person issued a driver's
 3 license under this section shall not use an electronic
 4 communication device or an electronic entertainment
 5 device while driving a motor vehicle unless the motor
 6 vehicle is at a complete stop off the roadway. This
 7 paragraph does not apply to the use of electronic
 8 equipment which is permanently installed in the motor
 9 vehicle or to a portable device which is operated
10 through permanently installed equipment.
      Sec. . NEW SECTION. 321.238 Use of electronic
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12 devices while driving -- preemption of local
13 legislation.
      The provisions of sections 321.178, 321.180B, and
15 321.194 restricting the use of electronic communication
16 devices and electronic entertainment devices by certain
17 motor vehicle operators shall be implemented uniformly
18 throughout the state. Such provisions shall preempt
19 any county or municipal ordinance regarding the use
20 of an electronic communication device or electronic
21 entertainment device by a motor vehicle operator.
22 addition, a county or municipality shall not adopt
23 or continue in effect an ordinance regarding the use
24 of an electronic communication device or electronic
25 entertainment device by a motor vehicle operator.>
      6. Title page, lines 1 and 2, by striking
27 censes> and inserting <licenses, minor's restricted</li>
28 licenses,>
      7. Title page, line 2, by striking censes,
29
30 making a penalty> and inserting <licenses and to the
31 use of certain electronic devices by motor vehicle
32 operators, making penalties>
8. By renumbering as necessary.>
                             By RAECKER of Polk
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- 1 Amend <u>Senate File 2156</u>, as passed by the Senate, as 2 follows:
- 3 1. Page 5, by striking lines 12 and 13 and
- 4 inserting <All premiums shall be paid on the last day
- 5 of the month of coverage. The department shall deduct 6 the>

COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES SMITH of Marshall, Chairperson

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- 1 Amend Senate File 2243, as passed by the Senate, as 2 follows:
- 1. Page 3, after line 1 by inserting:
- <Sec. . DEER LICENSE STUDY.
- 1. The legislative services agency shall prepare a
- 6 study to determine the economic impact of increasing
- 7 the number of antlered and antlerless deer hunting
- 8 licenses available for sale to nonresidents who own
- 9 Iowa farmland.
- To the extent practicable, the study shall 2.
- 11 estimate the potential revenue to the state by
- 12 increasing the number of such licenses and shall
- 13 estimate the impact on the deer population.
- 3. The legislative services agency shall submit
- 15 the results of the study to the legislative council by
- 16 January 1, 2011.>
- 2. By renumbering as necessary. 17

By PETTENGILL of Benton HANSON of Jefferson

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- Amend Senate File 2254, as passed by the Senate, as 2 follows:
- 3 1. Page 1, after line 24 by inserting:
- 4 <Sec. ___. Section 331.552, subsections 34, 35, and
- 5 36, Code $\overline{2009}$, are amended to read as follows:
- 6 34. Destroy tax sale redemption certificates and
- 7 all associated tax sale records after ten years have
- 8 elapsed from the end of the fiscal year in which the
- 9 certificate was redeemed. If a tax sale certificate
- 10 of purchase is cancelled as required by section 446.37
- 11 or 448.1, all associated tax sale records shall be
- 12 destroyed after ten years have elapsed from the end
- 13 of the fiscal year in which the tax sale certificate
- 14 of purchase was cancelled. This subsection applies
- 15 to documents described in this subsection that are in
- 16 existence before, on, or after July 1, 2003.
- 35. Destroy special assessment records required by section 445.11 within the county system after ten years have elapsed from the end of the fiscal year in which the special assessment was paid in full. The county treasurer shall also destroy the resolution of necessity, plat, and schedule of assessments required by section 384.51 after ten years have elapsed from the
- 24 end of the fiscal year in which the entire schedule was
- 25 paid in full. This subsection applies to documents
- 26 described in this subsection that are in existence
- 27 before, on, or after July 1, 2003.
- 28 36. Destroy mobile home and manufactured home tax
- 29 lists after ten years have elapsed from the end of 30 the fiscal year in which the list was created. This
- 30 the fiscal year in which the list was created. This
- 31 <u>subsection applies to mobile home and manufactured home</u> 32 tax lists and associated documents in existence before,
- 33 on, or after July 1, 2003.
- Sec. ___. Section 331.559, subsections 15 and 20,
- 35 Code 2009, are amended to read as follows:
- 15. Maintain a suspended tax list book as provided in section 427.12. After ten years from the date of
- 38 payment, abatement, or cancellation of a suspended
- 39 tax, special assessment, rate, or charge, the county
- 40 treasurer may dispose of the official record of the
- 41 suspended tax, special assessment, rate, or charge.
- This subsection applies to official records and associated documents in existence before, on, or after
- 44 July 1, 2003.
- 20. Carry out duties relating to the preparation
- 46 and correction of the tax list as provided in chapter
- 47 443. After ten years from the date of receipt, the
- 48 county treasurer may dispose of the tax list delivered
- 49 to the county treasurer pursuant to chapter 443.
- 50 This subsection applies to tax lists and associated H-8291 -1-

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 1 documents in existence before, on, or after July 1,
 2 2003.>
      2. Title page, line 3, after <districts> by
 4 inserting <and to keep certain records>
      3. By renumbering as necessary.
           COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT
           GASKILL of Wapello, Chairperson
        FILED MARCH 1, 2010
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                            SENATE FILE 2286
H-8277
 1 Amend Senate File 2286, as amended, passed, and
 2 reprinted by the Senate, as follows:
      1. Page 1, by striking lines 5 and 6 and inserting
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4 <is open to the public and an admission fee is charged,

5 a donation is requested from those in attendance,

6 or merchandise or refreshments are available for

7 purchase.>

COMMITTEE ON LABOR

R. OLSON of Polk, Chairperson

H-8277 FILED MARCH 1, 2010

SENATE FILE 2288

H-8296 Amend Senate File 2288, as amended, passed, and 2 reprinted by the Senate, as follows: 1. Page 4, after line 14 by inserting: <Sec. . Section 256.11, subsection 9, Code 5 Supplement 2009, is amended to read as follows: 9. Beginning July 1, 2006, each Each school 7 district shall have a qualified teacher librarian 8 who shall be licensed by the board of educational 9 examiners under chapter 272. The state board shall 10 establish in rule a definition of and standards for 11 an articulated sequential kindergarten through grade 12 twelve media program. A school district that entered 13 into a contract with an individual for employment as a 14 media specialist or librarian prior to June 1, 2006, 15 shall be considered to be in compliance with this 16 subsection until June 30, 2011, if the individual is 17 making annual progress toward meeting the requirements 18 for a teacher librarian endorsement issued by the 19 board of educational examiners under chapter 272. A 20 school district that entered into a contract with an 21 individual for employment as a media specialist or 22 librarian who holds at least a master's degree in 23 library and information studies shall be considered 24 to be in compliance with this subsection until the 25 individual leaves the employ of the school district. A 26 school district may retain within its library program 27 library books regardless of their age.> By renumbering as necessary.

By COWNIE of Polk

H-8287

- 1 Amend <u>Senate File 2310</u>, as passed by the Senate, as 2 follows:
- 3 1. Page 3, by striking line 2 and inserting <of
- 4 trust fund moneys distributed to the Iowa resources
- 5 enhancement and protection fund or any one account 6 established>
- 7 2. Page 3, by striking lines 10 through 13.
- 8 3. Page 3, line 14, by striking <2.> and inserting 9 <1.>
- 10 4. Page 3, line 19, by striking <3.> and inserting 11 <2.>
- 12 5. By striking page 4, line 35, through page 5,
- 13 line 2, and inserting:
- 14 <a. The establishment, maintenance, restoration,</p>
- 15 improvement, or enhancement of state parks, state
- 16 preserves, state forests, wildlife areas, wildlife
- 17 habitats, native prairies, and wetlands.>
- 18 6. By renumbering as necessary.

By BELL of Jasper

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Fiscal Services Division

HF 2382 – Choice of Doctor for Police and Firefighter (LSB 5128HV)
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 Fiscal Note Version – New

Description

<u>House File 2382</u> provides that members of the Municipal Police and Fire Retirement System receiving hospital, nursing, and medical attention, for injuries received while performing their police or fire duties have the right to choose medical care.

Background

Currently in Iowa, the employer is permitted to control the course of treatment for injured workers and may establish provider networks with fee schedules.

There are 49 cities covered by the Municipal Police and Fire Retirement System. Those cities are; Ames, Ankeny, Bettendorf, Boone, Burlington, Camanche, Carroll, Cedar Falls, Cedar Rapids, Centerville, Charles City, Clinton, Clive, Council Bluffs, Creston, Davenport, Decorah, Des Moines, DeWitt, Dubuque, Estherville, Evansdale, Fairfield, Fort Dodge, Fort Madison, Grinnell, Indianola, Iowa City, Keokuk, Knoxville, Le Mars, Maquoketa, Marion, Marshalltown, Mason City, Muscatine, Newton, Oelwein, Oskaloosa, Ottumwa, Pella, Sioux City, Spencer, Storm Lake, Urbandale, Waterloo, Waverly, Webster City, and West Des Moines.

Cities are required to provide hospital, nursing, and medical attention for the members of the police and fire departments of the cities, when injured while in the performance of their job duties. Cities are permitted to fund the cost of required care through the purchase of insurance, by self-insuring the obligation, or through payment of moneys into a local government risk pool established for the purpose of covering the costs. The cost of the care can not be funded through an employee-paid health insurance policy. The cost of the care is to be paid from moneys held in a trust and agency fund or appropriated to the affected employer.

Fiscal Impact

This Bill will have an unknown fiscal impact on the expenses for the 49 cities. There is insufficient information to determine the impact the legislation would have on the choice of medical care.

Sources

Iowa Department of Workforce Development
National Council on Compensation Insurance, Inc. (NCCI)
Bureau of Labor Statistics
Iowa League of Cities
Iowa Municipalities Workers' Compensation Association (IMWCA)
Cities of Ames, Camanche, Charles City, Clinton, Knoxville, and Marshalltown

/s/ Holly M. Lyons
March 1, 2010

The fiscal note for this bill was prepared pursuant to <u>Joint Rule 17</u>. Data used in developing this fiscal note is available from the Fiscal Services Division of the Legislative Services Agency upon request.





Fiscal Services Division

HF 2483 – Probate Code/Trust Code Amendments (LSB 5186HV)

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Fiscal Note Version – New

Description

<u>House File 2483</u> relates to trusts and estates including provisions relating to State inheritance tax, uniform transfers to minors, and medical assistance claims.

Background

This Bill has two changes that have a fiscal impact. These include:

- Increases the monthly payment a trustee can receive from a trust from \$10 to \$50. The Department
 of Human Services (DHS) often receives the balance of these trusts to reimburse Medicaid once a
 recipient is deceased.
- Increases the income limit for Medical Assistance Income Trusts from the statewide average cost of a nursing facility to the private pay rate. This provision is used to determine Medicaid eligibility for those individuals that have such trusts.

Assumptions

Monthly Payment for a Trustee

- The monthly trustee payment will increase from \$10 to \$50. The \$10 monthly payment is currently
 not being utilized because the payment is minimal.
- Increasing the payment reduces the balance of each trust by \$600 per year and will impact 90 trusts. It is anticipated that half (45) of the trustees will take advantage of the \$50 monthly payment.
- Due to fewer funds available in the Trust, there will be a State savings of \$1,000 due to smaller fee payments to estate recovery contractors.

Income Changes for Medical Assistance Income Trusts

- Income limits for individuals with a Medical Assistance Income Trust will increase from the statewide average cost of a nursing facility to the actual cost of a private pay bed.
- The change in income limits will increase the number of individuals eligible for Medicaid by 61.
- Approximately 10 of the additional 61 eligible individuals will be married couples that can divert \$12,000 annually from a trust to their spouse.
- The average State cost for an elderly enrollee is \$2,100 for FY 2011 and \$2,500 for FY 2012.

Fiscal Impact

This Bill is estimated to cost the General Fund \$174,800 in FY 2011 and \$200,200 in FY 2012. This includes \$7,700 in FY 2011 and \$9,100 in FY 2012 for increasing the payment for a trustee and \$167,000 in FY 2011 and \$191,100 in FY 2012 to change the income limits for individuals with trusts to the private pay rate of the individual facility.

Source

Department of Human Services

 /s/ Holly M. Lyons	
February 25, 2010	

The fiscal note for this Bill was prepared pursuant to **Joint Rule 17**. Data used in developing this fiscal note is available from the Fiscal Services Division of the Legislative Services Agency upon request.





Fiscal Services Division

HF 2445 – Nursing Workforce Initiatives (LSB 5253HV)

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Fiscal Note Version – New

Description

<u>House File 2445</u> includes provisions relating to the nursing workforce.

The Bill directs the Iowa Department of Workforce Development (IWD) to establish a Nursing Workforce Data Clearinghouse for the purpose of collecting and maintaining data from all available and appropriate sources regarding Iowa's nursing workforce. The IWD is to have access to all data regarding Iowa's nursing workforce collected or maintained by any State department or agency to support the data clearinghouse and the information maintained in the Nursing Workforce Data Clearinghouse is to be available to any State department or agency. The Bill directs the IWD to consult with the Board of Nursing, the Department of Public Health (DPH), the Department of Education, and other appropriate entities in developing recommendations to determine options for additional data collection. The Bill provides rulemaking authority to the IWD, in consultation with the Board of Nursing, to administer the data clearinghouse and directs a Nursing Workforce Data Clearinghouse to be established and maintained in a manner consistent with the health care delivery infrastructure and Health Care Workforce Resources Strategic Plan developed by DPH.

The Bill requires the IWD to submit an annual report to the Governor and the General Assembly regarding the Nursing Workforce Data Clearinghouse and, following its establishment, the status of the nursing workforce in Iowa.

The Bill changes the name of the Nursing Workforce Shortage Initiative within the Health Care Workforce Support Initiative to the Iowa Needs Nurses Now Initiative and makes a similar change to the name of the account for the Initiative. The Bill also requires the College Student Aid Commission, currently in control of the Iowa Needs Nurses Now Initiative, to consult with the Iowa Board of Nursing, the Department of Education, and the Iowa Nurses Association in adopting rules and distributing funds.

The Bill also adds two accounts to the Health Care Workforce Shortage Fund:

- The lowa Needs Nurses Now Infrastructure Account under the control of DPH to provide grants for clinical simulators, laboratory facilities, health information technology, and other infrastructure to improve the training of nurses and nurse educators in the State and to enhance the clinical experience for nurses.
- The Nurse Residency Training State Matching Grants Program Account under the control of DPH to provide matching State funding to sponsors of nurse residency programs in Iowa to establish, expand, or support nurse residency training programs that meet standards adopted by rule of DPH. The Bill also specifies the parameters of the Grant Program.

The Bill adds a Nurse Educator Scholarship Program as one of the components of the Iowa Needs Nurses Now Initiative with the goal of addressing the waiting list of qualified applicants to Iowa's nursing schools by providing incentives for the training of additional nursing educators. The Bill specifies the parameters of the Scholarship Program.

The Bill also provides that implementation is subject to the extent of funding available.

Background

The Health Care Workforce Shortage Fund was created during the 2009 Legislative Session by SF 389 (Health Care Omnibus II Act). The Fund was created in the State Treasury as a separate fund under the control of the DPH. The Fund is set to be repealed effective June 30, 2014. The Fund and the accounts within the Fund consist of any moneys appropriated from the General Fund of the State for the purposes of the Fund or the accounts within the Fund; moneys received from the federal government for the purposes of addressing the health care workforce shortage; contributions, grants, and other moneys from communities and health care employers; and moneys from any other public or private source available. Administrative costs are limited to 5.0% of the balance of each account, to a maximum of \$100,000 per account.

Fiscal Impact

The Bill does not specify a funding source and provides that the Bill will only be implemented to the extent funding is available.

The IWD is directed to develop a Nursing Workforce Data Clearinghouse. The estimated cost for doing this, should funds be available, is 1.0 FTE position and \$90,000 for FY 2011, and 1.0 FTE position and \$65,000 for each year thereafter.

The DPH would expend, should funds be available, an estimated 1.0 FTE position and \$134,000 for FY 2011, and 1.0 FTE position and \$103,000 for each year thereafter, to administer the Iowa Needs Nurses Now Infrastructure Account and the Nurse Residency Training State Matching Grants Program Account. Administrative costs are to be limited to 5.0% of the balance of each account, to a maximum of \$100,000 per account.

The College Student Aid Commission would be responsible for the Nurse Educator Scholarship Program at an estimated annual cost beginning with FY 2011, should funds be available, of 0.5 FTE position and \$50,000.

The table below summarizes the fiscal impact of the Bill:

Summary of Fiscal Impact (to the extent funding is available)				
Department	Fund	FY 2011	FY 2012	FTE
IWD	Not specified	\$ 90,000	\$ 65,000	1.00
DPH	Not specified	134,000	103,000	1.00
College Student Aid	Not specified	50,000	50,000	0.50
Total Estimated Expenditures		\$274,000	\$ 218,000	2.50

Sources

Department of Workforce Development Department of Education Department of Public Health College Student Aid Commission

 /s/ Holly M. Lyons	
March 1, 2010	

The fiscal note for this bill was prepared pursuant to <u>Joint Rule 17</u>. Data used in developing this fiscal note, is available from the Fiscal Services Division of the Legislative Services Agency upon request.





Fiscal Services Division

HF 2481 – Natural Resources Department Conservation and Recreation (LSB 5362HV)
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 Fiscal Note Version – New

Description

<u>House File 2481</u> makes several policy changes to the Conservation and Recreation Division in the Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

Background

The provisions of this Bill with a fiscal impact include:

- Fee changes for issuance of duplicate all terrain vehicle (ATV) or snowmobile dealer registrations and decals are increased from \$2 to \$5.
- Strikes dog trial fees and includes them as special events. The dog trial fee was \$2 and a special event fee is \$25.
- Allows the DNR to regulate the baiting and feeding of wildlife.
- Allows the State Forest Nursery to sell seedling stock to other states. Revenue from sales
 of nursery stock are deposited into the Land and Conservation Fund and used for
 operations at the State Forest Nursery located in Ames.

Assumptions

Correctional Information: The changes in the Bill are new or administrative and there is no comparable data to estimate the correctional impact. In FY 2009, there were 110 violations for snowmobiles and 459 for ATVs, however the majority of convictions were for traveling on highways.

Fiscal Information

- The cost to the DNR to issue a duplicate ATV or snowmobile dealer registration or decal is \$5 and the Department currently charges \$2. The DNR estimates they issue 500 duplicate dealer registrations or decals. This change will increase revenue to the Fish and Game Protection Fund by \$1,500 annually beginning in FY 2011.
- The DNR reported there were 683 dog trials held in FY 2009. The DNR estimates there will be 700 dog trial special events in FY 2011. This change will increase revenue to the Fish and Game Protection Fund by \$16,100 annually beginning in FY 2011.
- The regulation of baiting and feeding wildlife may reduce wildlife feed sales in lowa, however, this amount could not be estimated.
- The DNR estimates selling one million additional seedlings at 50 cents each, but not until FY 2012, due to the adoption of Administrative Rules. The DNR estimates additional revenue to the Land and Conservation Fund of \$500,000 annually beginning in FY 2012.

Summary of Impacts

Correctional Impact: The correctional impact is expected to be minimal.

Fiscal Impact: This Bill is estimated to increase revenue to the Fish and Game Protection Fund by \$18,000 annually beginning in FY 2011 and increase revenue to the Land and Conservation Fund by \$500,000 annually beginning in FY 2012.

Sources

Department of Natural Resources Department of Human Rights (CJJP)

/s/ Holly M. Lyons
March 1, 2010

The fiscal note for this bill was prepared pursuant to <u>Joint Rule 17</u> and the correctional and minority impact statements were prepared pursuant to <u>Section 2.56</u>, <u>Code of lowa</u>. Data used in developing this fiscal note, including correctional and minority impact information, is available from the Fiscal Services Division of the Legislative Services Agency upon request.





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SF 2343 – Judicial Officers (LSB 5397SV.1)

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Fiscal Note Version – As amended and passed by the Senate

Description

<u>Senate File 2343</u> relates to the appointment of judicial officers and senior judges. Both the delay in filling judicial officer positions and the apportionment sections are repealed as of July 1, 2013.

Background

<u>Senate File 478</u> (FY 2010 Standing Appropriations Act) enacted language to permit the Chief Justice to delay, for up to 180 days for budgetary reasons, the nominating process for any Supreme Court Justice, Court of Appeals Judge, District Court Judge, District Associate Judge, or Associate Juvenile or Probate Judge office that becomes vacant between May 22, 2009, to June 30, 2010.

This Bill creates a new Code section (Section 602.2301) granting the Chief Justice the authority to delay the nomination of a Supreme Court Justice, Court of Appeals Judge, District Judge, District Associate Judge, Associate Judge, or Associate Probate Judge. The authority is repealed on July 1, 2013.

Assumptions

- There are currently seven Supreme Court Justices, nine Court of Appeals Judges, and 189 full-time judges (116 District Court Judges, 60 District Associate Judges, 12 Associate Juvenile Judges, and one Associate Probate Judge). Of the 189, there are currently 11 vacant judgeships in the Judicial Branch. The current unfilled judicial vacancies are one in the Court of Appeals, seven District Court Judgeships in Districts 2B, 4, 5A, 6, and 8A, and three District Associate/Juvenile Judgeships in Districts 5C and 6.
- The average number of annual judicial officer vacancies in the Judicial Branch is four to six.
- The total salary and benefits for a District Court Judge is \$208,000.
- The total salary and benefits for a District Associate Judge is \$187,000.
- The apportionment section of the Bill allows the Judicial Branch to reallocate judicial officer resources across judicial election district boundaries to the areas where they are most needed.

Fiscal Impact

The cost savings in FY 2011 to the Judicial Branch from delaying the filling of vacant appointments could be significant, depending on the judicial officer position that is vacant and the length of time the position is vacant. For example, if two District Court Judge positions and two District Associate Judge positions were held open 180 days, the savings would be approximately \$389,000.

Source:

Judicial Branch

 /s/ Holly M. Lyons	
March 1, 2010	

The fiscal note for this bill was prepared pursuant to <u>Joint Rule 17</u>. Data used in developing this fiscal note is available from the Fiscal Services Division of the Legislative Services Agency upon request.